



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: E. Gunther Attorney Docket No.: GUNE117293
Application No.: 09/935,557 Group Art Unit: 1631
Filed: August 22, 2001 Examiner: A.H. Marschel
Title: METHODS FOR SCREENING AND IDENTIFYING PHARMACEUTICAL AGENTS

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Seattle, Washington 98101

March 4, 2004

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

X The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	37	-	25	=	12	x	9	= 108
Independent Claims	3	-	3	=	0	x	43	= 0
TOTAL								\$108

B. Fees Enclosed

Enclosed is our Check No. 154129 in the amount of \$108.00 to cover the amendment claim fee.

C. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any

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overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-1740. This authorization also hereby includes a request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service in a sealed envelope as first class mail with postage thereon fully prepaid and addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the below date.

Date: 3/4/2004 Carole Julyan

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AMENDMENT A

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed January 14, 2004, please enter the following amendment to the claims and reconsider the application in view of the following remarks.

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